

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of :
Ryogo YANAGISAWA : **Attn: APPLICATION BRANCH**
Serial No. NEW : Attorney Docket No. 2004_0472A
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SHARED KEY GENERATION APPARATUS,
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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Prior to initial examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application
as follows: